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The drift which has stopped the traffic is at Wright, a small station east of here. The railroad is experiencing trouble in getting Mexican laborers out of the bunk houses to work on the tracks.

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DEFINES 60-DAY LIMIT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—The United States court of customs appeals today defined the meaning of the 60-day time limit for an appeal to that tribunal from a decision of the board of general appraisers in cases where an application for a rehearing by the board had been made. It was held that the time limit for an appeal should begin with the date of the denial by the board for a rehearing.

MENINGITIS EPIDEMIC IN TEXAS CONTINUES TO EXACT DEATH TOLL

AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 11.—Decidedly more encouraging, the state health officer, characterized the meningitis situation in the state tonight. He said that, beyond a few scattering cases, no new localities were reported affected today.

Reports from infected districts indicate that prophylactic precautionary measures are being taken. Three additional Texas towns—Thomson, Gruesbeck and Algodon—are quarantined against infected points today, making five in all that have been quarantined. The board of health in Shreveport, La., decided today not to establish a quarantine.

Three More Deaths.

DALLAS, Jan. 11.—Spinal meningitis continues to exact its death toll, notwithstanding favorable reports on the progress of the fight against it. Three yesterday noon there have been three deaths and seven new cases. City authorities have decided not to close local theaters yet, but citizens are observing advice of physicians to remain indoors as much as possible. No developments were reported from other sections of the state tonight.

The convention of the Texas Ice Cream Manufacturers' Association, which expected to bring 500 delegates here January 11, has been postponed. While the state board of health yesterday found that epidemic conditions have improved, there is to be let up in the fight against the malady. Physicians now are experimenting with meningitis serum to check the spread of the disease. Administration of this preventive is under direction of Dr. Abraham Saphan of New York, who declined to go to his dying mother's bedside yesterday, declaring he was needed in Texas.

GROESBECK, Tex., Jan. 11.—A quarantine "against the world" has been established here. All persons are warned against buying railroad tickets to Groesbeck and the statement is made that no persons will be permitted to leave trains at Groesbeck.

Time has been scattered through the streets. There has been no meningitis here.

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TWO ARIZONA MURDERERS FOUND GUILTY; TO PRISON

GLOBE, Ariz., Jan. 11.—Two murderers were found guilty tonight by Judge James Walsh, who shot and killed George Ross in a saloon at Miami, near here, was sentenced to 11 years in prison at Florence, while Louis Rodriguez, a Mexican, who killed a fellow countryman named James Flores, at Winkelman, was given a life term.

FIRE AT SYDNEY, N. S. W.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Jan. 11.—A fire that started in the United theater last night and spread to the Sydney hotel, threatened to spread widely. A heavy gale hampered the work of the firemen. Ten employees of the theater, who were in the building at the time, escaped. The fire was extinguished after causing great damage to the theater and hotel buildings.

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ALFRED TENNYSON



Dr. Frederick A. Lucas, director of the American Museum of Natural History, is of the opinion that great men resemble birds or beasts. "I fully agree with the Rev. P. S. Henson of Boston that all mankind may be classed as like, lionlike, eaglelike and manlike, according to the vision of the prophet Ezekiel," said Dr. Lucas. "This, of course, is an allegorical sense." Dr. Lucas then named President Taft as a lion, Theodore Roosevelt as an eagle, and Alfred Tennyson, the poet, as an eagle.

(Key to picture: From top to bottom, President Taft, Theodore Roosevelt, Alfred Tennyson and Dr. Frederick A. Lucas.)

NORRIS OF NEBRASKA OPPOSES LEADER MANN

Tries to Secure Rep. Murdock of Kansas on Rules Committee of House, But Fails

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Republican insurgency broke out in the house for the first time at this session of congress when insurgent Leader Norris of Nebraska voted Republican Leader Mann's selection of Philip Campbell of Kansas, a regular, to succeed the late E. H. Madison of Kansas, insurgent, on the house committee on rules. Mr. Norris nominated Victor Murdock of Kansas, insurgent.

When Mr. Norris nominated Mr. Murdock, Speaker Clark ruled that the Murdock nomination would have to be voted on as a substitute to that of Campbell.

Underwood urged all Democrats to vote for Campbell and sustain the Republican leader. Mr. Norris said he was not bound by any party caucus.

Former Speaker Cannon, Representative Berger, the Socialist, and others broke into the fight.

Mr. Berger said that if Messrs. Norris and Murdock could not agree with Mr. Mann, they ought to get off and start a party of their own, as we have done.

A general "old-time" political debate then ensued.

The house finally sustained Republican Leader Mann by defeating the nomination of Murdock, 167 to 167. Twenty-six Republicans voted in favor of Murdock, the remainder of his votes being Democratic.

Mr. Mann's selection of Representative Campbell for the rules committee was then agreed to. Mr. Norris immediately proposed Representative Warburton of Washington, a Republican insurgent, as a member of the house committee on "sugar trust" affairs to succeed Madison.

The house voted this down, 167 to 21, without debate.

TAFT ADMITS ABROGATING TREATY BEFORE WAS READY

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—President Taft laughingly admitted today before a delegation of the American Association of Foreign Language Newspapers that he had been compelled to abrogate the Russian treaty more quickly than he had intended. The party represented 200 newspapers published in 20 different tongues, and after they filed past the president, an editor of a Jewish paper made a brief speech thanking Mr. Taft for his part in the past-point question.

The publishers were in Washington today to urge less restrictive immigration measures, and after presenting their views to the president, Mr. Taft informed them that while he was not in favor of having Europe "dump" undesirable citizens into the United States, he felt that sturdy law-abiding citizens should be admitted.

"We need a great deal of labor," he said. "We are beginning to feel a pinch in the price of food. We need an agricultural population, and what ought to be done is to take the immigration that comes into the country to agricultural points."

INDIANS MAY SELL SURFACE COAL AND ASPHALT LANDS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—The Carter bill authorizing the sale of surface of coal and asphalt lands belonging to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Indians in Oklahoma, was passed by the house today. The bill reserves the right to the Indians to prospect and mine on all the land of which the surface is thus sold.

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CHINESE PREMIER SERVES NOTICE AGAINST OUTLAW

PEKIN, Jan. 11.—Yuan Shi Kai has sent a message to Wu Ting Fang, the Republican minister of justice at Shanghai, notifying him that he has received telegrams from the viceroys of Chi Li and Hukwang (provinces of Hu Peh and Hu Nan) and the governors of Shantung, Shanghai, Ho Nam, Kien and Anhol, reporting that outlaws in the name of the revolutionaries are murdering innocent people and looting. Such outlaws were responsible for the murder of foreigners in the Shantung province.

Yuan Shi Kai says that when the imperialists suppress these outlaws, the revolutionists protest against what they claim are infringements of the armistice. Hereafter, the premier declares, outlaws will be rigorously dealt with, regardless of protests.

The provincial assemblies of Kansu, Shen Si and Sinkiang have communicated to Premier Yuan that they favor a monarchy, but leading Republicans of these provinces are recommending the Republican column that entered Ho Nam several days ago.

The Russian statement made yesterday at St. Petersburg, that both the Chinese representative identified with the negotiations in Mongolia and the Mongolians themselves, requested the mediation of Russia, is technically correct.

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Henry R. Heide, an importer, filed 142 protests with the court holding that shelled almonds intermixed with dirt, dust and pieces of shells should be assessed duty of one cent a pound as nuts not specially provided for by the tariff act.

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Kentucky Visited by Blizzard.
COLUMBIA, Ky., Jan. 11.—With almost the heaviest of a blizzard, a snow storm has been raging over Kentucky since this morning. The temperature was 10 degrees below zero before morning. The river traffic is at a standstill.

DALLAS, Tex., Jan. 11.—The most severe weather of the winter except in Texas and Oklahoma tonight, late tonight the mercury is falling at the rate of one degree an hour. The blizzard from the Texas Panhandle has lowered temperatures of from 10 to 20 below zero in northern portions.

Homes Open to Passengers.
KINSLEY, Kan., Jan. 11.—Two Sunday train companies of passengers, now closed for Denver and the other for California, are snowbound here tonight.

Accommodations at hotels are insufficient and private homes have been opened to the stranded travelers. The drift which has stopped the traffic is at least a small station west of here. The railroad is experiencing trouble in getting men to work on the drifts.

Situation in Colorado.
DENVER, Jan. 11.—Snow began falling generally throughout the state today, accompanied by an average drop of 30 degrees in temperature. With the mercury falling, a blizzard is now in progress. The snow is heavy and the wind is strong. The situation is serious and the people are suffering.

The snow of the last two days saved thousands of cattle on the eastern Colorado plains, but stockmen fear that a continuation of the present storm means serious losses. It should develop into a blizzard, the cause of the weakened condition of the herds.

25,000 OPERATIVES IN MASSACHUSETTS MAY STRIKE

LAWRENCE, Mass., Jan. 11.—A strike involving between 20,000 and 25,000 operatives in the cotton and woolen mills of this city tonight began threatening. The trouble is over the new 24-hour law which went into effect in this state this year. The operatives want the same law for a 24-hour week that they have received for 26 hours.

DEFINES 60-DAY LIMIT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—The United States court of customs appeals today defined the meaning of the 60-day time limit for an appeal to that tribunal from a decision of the board of general appraisers in cases where an application for a writ of habeas corpus had been denied. It was held that the time limit for appeals should begin with the date of the denial by the board for a rehearing.

MENINGITIS EPIDEMIC IN TEXAS CONTINUES TO EXACT DEATH TOLL

AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 11.—Decidedly more encouraging is the way Dr. Ralph Suther, state health officer, characterized the meningitis situation in the state tonight. He said that, beyond a few scattering cases, no new deaths were reported affected today.

Reports from infected districts indicate that emergency precautionary measures are being taken. Three additional Texas towns—Thorndale, Groesbeck and Midland—are quarantined against infected points today, making five in all that have been quarantined. The board of health in Shreveport, La., decided today not to establish a quarantine.

Three More Deaths.

DALLAS, Jan. 11.—Spinal meningitis continues to exact its death toll, notwithstanding favorable reports on the progress of the fight against it. Since yesterday noon there have been three deaths and seven new cases. City authorities have decided not to close local theaters yet, but citizens are observing advice of physicians to remain indoors as much as possible. No developments were reported from other sections of the state tonight.

The convention of the Texas Ice Cream Manufacturers' association which expected to bring delegates here January 17, has been postponed. While the state board of health yesterday found that epidemic conditions have improved, there is no let-up in the fight against the disease. Physicians now are experimenting with meningitis serum to check the spread of the disease.

Administration of this preventive is under direction of Dr. Abraham Sophian of New York, who declined to go to his dying mother's bedside yesterday, declaring he was dead in Texas.

GROESBECK, Tex., Jan. 11.—A quarantine "against the world" has been established here. All persons are warned against buying railway tickets to Groesbeck and the statement is made that no persons will be permitted to leave trains at Groesbeck.

There has been scattered through the streets. There has been no meningitis here.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—The outbreak of spinal meningitis in Texas has divided the National Association of Ice Cream Manufacturers to change their annual convention from Dallas to Chicago where it will now take place January 18-21.

TWO ARIZONA MURDERERS FOUND GUILTY TO PRISON

GEORGE, Ariz., Jan. 11.—Two murderers were found guilty tonight to day. James Walsh, who shot and killed George Doss in a saloon at Alford, near here, was sentenced to 10 years in prison at Elmore, while Louis Rodriguez, an Mexican who aided in the conspiracy, named James Flores, of Winkelman, was given a life term.

FIRE AT SYDNEY, N. S. W.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Jan. 11.—A fire that started in the Palace theater tonight and spread to the Sydney hotel, threatened to spread widely. A fireman again hampered the work of the firemen. The manager of the theater, who were the only persons in the building at the time, escaped. The fire was extinguished after causing slight damage to the theater and hotel buildings.

PRESIDENT TAFT



THEODORE ROOSEVELT

ALFRED TENNYSON



NORRIS OF NEBRASKA OPPOSES LEADER MURDOCK

Tries to Secure Rep. Murdock of Kansas on Rules Committee of House, But Fails

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Republican insurgency broke out in the house for the first time at this session of congress when insurgent Leader Norris of Nebraska joined Republican Leader Main of Kansas to oppose the nomination of Victor Murdock of Kansas as a member of the committee on the house committee on rules.

When Mr. Norris nominated Mr. Murdock, Speaker Clark ruled that the Murdock nomination would have to be voted on as a substitute to that of Campbell.

Democratic Leader Underwood urged all Democrats to vote for Campbell and sustain the Republican leader. Mr. Norris said he was not bound by party caucus.

Former Speaker Cannon, Representative Reager, the Socialist, and others broke into the fight.

Mr. Berger said that if Messrs. Norris and Murdock could not agree with Mr. Main, they ought to get off and start a party of their own, as we have done. A general "old-time" political debate then ensued. The house finally sustained Republican Leader Main in defeating the nomination of Murdock, 167 to 187. Twenty-six Republicans voted in favor of Murdock, the remainder of his votes being Democratic.

Mr. Main's selection of Representative Campbell for the rules committee was then agreed to. Mr. Norris immediately proposed Representative Warburton of Washington, a Republican insurgent, as a member of the house committee on "sugar trust" affairs to succeed Madison.

The house voted this down, 167 to 21, without debate.

TAFT ADMITS ABOGATING TREATY BEFORE WAS READY

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—President Taft laughingly admitted today before a delegation of the American Association of Foreign Language Newspapers that he had been compelled to abrogate the Russian treaty more quickly than he had intended. The party represented 490 newspapers published in 23 different tongues, and after they filed past the president, an editor of a Jewish paper made a brief speech thanking Mr. Taft for his part in the past paper question.

The publishers were in Washington today to urge less restrictive immigration measures, and after presenting their views to the president, Mr. Taft informed them that while he was not in favor of having Europe "dump" immigrants into the United States, he felt that sturdy, law-abiding citizens should be admitted. "We need a great deal of labor," he said. "We are beginning to feel a pinch in the price of food. We need an agricultural population and what ought to be done is to take the immigration that comes into the country to agricultural points."

INDIANS MAY SELL SURFACE COAL AND ASPHALT LANDS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—The Carter bill authorizing the sale of surface of coal and asphalt lands belonging to the Cherokee and Chickasaw Indians in Oklahoma, was passed by the house today. The bill reserves the right to the Indians to prospect and mine on all the land of which the surface is thus sold.

Specials for Today

Watch for The Big Embroidery Sale

Kaufman's

Watch for The Big Embroidery Sale

Cutting Gowns for Women and Children

Broken Lines—Good Weight—White with Stripes—Some slightly soiled. Specially priced for Today.

Women's Sizes		Children's Sizes	
Regular \$1.50.	Today \$1	Regular 75c.	Today 50c
Regular \$1.75.	Today \$1.17	Regular \$1.	Today 65c
Regular \$2.25.	Today \$1.45	Regular \$1.12.	Today 75c

Any Woman's or Misses' Suit in stock at 1/2 Price

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Fur Sets, Single Pieces and Coats at 1-3 OFF

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Women's or Misses' Black or Fancy at 1/2 PRICE

Any Silk or Wool Dress for Women or Misses 1/2 off

Untrimmed Hats
50 in the lot. Shapes for misses or women. Worth \$2.50 to \$5, today at 98c

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Any Infants' or Children's Fancy Bonnet selling regular 75c to \$1.50, at 1-3 OFF

Muslin Underwear at Money Saving Prices at Our Gigantic White Sale

Peter Thompson Suits
All Wool Serge Peter Thompson Suits for misses and children. Regular \$7.50 to \$18.50, at 1-3 OFF

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Any Infants', Children's or Misses' Coat in stock. Regular \$2.50 to \$16.50. Special today at 1/2 PRICE

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1	Shakespeare	10	1/2	Cloth	22.50
1	Sterne	6	1/2	Cloth	22.50

CHINESE PREMIER SERVES NOTICE AGAINST OUTLAW S

PEKIN, Jan. 11.—Yuan Shi Kai has sent a message to Wu Ting Fang, the Republican minister of justice at Shanghai, notifying him that he has received telegrams from the viceroys of Hu Pei and Hu Nan (provinces of Hu Pei and Hu Nan) and the governors of Shantung, Shanghai, Ho Nan, Kien and Jehol, reporting that outlaws in the name of the revolutionaries are murdering innocent people and looting. Such outlaws were responsible for the murder of foreigners in Shen Shi province.

Yuan Shi Kai says that when the imperialists suppress these outlaws, the revolutionaries protest against what they claim are arrangements of the armistice. Hereafter, the premier declares outlaws will be rigorously dealt with, regardless of protests.

The provincial assemblies of Kansu, Shen Si and Sinking have communicated to Premier Yuan that they favor a monarchy, but leading Republicans of these provinces are accompanying the Republican column that entered Ho Nan several days ago.

The Russian statement made yesterday at St. Petersburg, that both the Chinese representative identified with the negotiations in Mongolia and the Mongolians themselves requested the mediation of Russia, is technically correct.

When a new contingent of Russian troops entered Mongolia, and also when Russia interfered diplomatically in connection with the proclamation of Kukuia as monarch of Mongolia, the Russian legation gave general assurance to the Chinese foreign board that the only intention of Russia was to assist China in maintaining order and in retaining sovereignty. The Chinese foreign board thanked the Russian legation for its assistance. Foreign advisers of the Chinese government, as well as certain sympathetic legations, pointed out the dangers with respect to Mongolia several months ago, but the Chinese seldom accept foreign advice, and the government continued to have confidence in its own intelligence.

SOUTH DAKOTA DEMOCRATS POSTPONE STATE MEETING

SIoux FALLS, S. D., Jan. 11.—Because of a conflict of dates of the annual meeting of the South Dakota Press association, which is scheduled for Yankton, January 18 to 20, the state meeting of Democrats, which was to have been January 17, has been postponed until January 21.

DR. J. G. STUART ELECTED PRESIDENT OF PRINCETON

PRINCETON, N. J., Jan. 11.—Dr. John Grier Hibben Stuart, professor of logic, today was elected president of Princeton university by the board of trustees of the institution. He succeeded Woodrow Wilson, who resigned the presidency in the fall of 1910 to become the Democratic candidate for governor of New Jersey.

The new president was graduated from Princeton in 1882 and since 1891 has been a member of the faculty. He is popular with both the alumni and undergraduates and his election was received with joy by Princeton men here.

Henry R. Heide, an importer, filed 142 protests with the court holding that shelled almonds intermixed with dirt, dust and pieces of shells should be assessed duty of one cent a pound as nuts not specially provided for by the tariff act.

The government, which was sustained, claimed they were dutiable at six cents a pound as clear almonds.

OVER \$1,000,000 IN DUTIES TO GOVERNMENT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—The federal treasury today clinched its hold on protested customs duties of more than \$1,000,000 by a decision of the United States court of customs appeals regarding imports of almonds.

Twenty-six Moros were killed today while they were attempting to ambush a body of American troops on the island of Jolo. In the course of the fighting Lieutenant McGee of the Second cavalry was shot and one American soldier was wounded. Brig. Gen. John J. Pershing, commander of the Department of Mindanao, in the course of conversation declared that he believed this fight would mark the end of the armed opposition of the Moros to American rule in the island of Jolo and more especially so in regard to the resistance against the order for general disarmament of the natives. The band of Moros who lay in ambush for the American troops on this occasion comprised, he said, the last of the remaining malcontents.

QUICK IN TRIPOLI

LONDON, Jan. 11.—Dispatches from Tripoli continue to report that all quiet in that territory. According to Constantinople paper an exchange of views between representatives of Italy and Turkey has furnished the basis for an armistice.

TROOP MOVEMENT DELAYED

MANILA, Jan. 11.—Delay has arisen in connection with the departure of the transport Logan which is to convey the first battalion of the Philippine infantry regiment to China. She will now probably not leave until Friday morning. The delay was due to the alterations which it was necessary to make on the transport so to provide proper accommodation for the field and machine guns and draft horses.

It is expected that the voyage China will last 10 days. The transport will disembark at Chiu Wang Tao at Rear Admiral Joseph B. Murdock, commander of the United States Asiatic squadron, probably will assist at the landing.

The strength of the expedition will be 350 men in all, including the first battalion of the Philippine infantry, the detachment of the hospital corps, a machine gun platoon and a field service wagon train. Major James M. Arrasmith, who will be in command, will be accompanied by an officer of the intelligence department and will report to William L. Gurnea, American minister at Peking.

The troops will go aboard the transport at 4 o'clock this afternoon. They came down from Fort McKinley in huge barges along the river Pagan. All were jubilant at the chance of field service. They were paid on Wednesday in gold and all of them are saving their money for the trip.

FINE LINE JEWELRY

at auction, 11 N. Tejon, Colorado Springs Jewelry Co.

MENINGITIS IN OKLAHOMA

MUSKOGEE, Okla., Jan. 11.—A dispatch to the Phoenix tonight from Marietta, Okla., in the extreme southern portion of the state, states that 14 deaths from meningitis have occurred there. Atoka reports three deaths. One person died in McAlester of meningitis today.

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Shirts, Overcoats and Suits

A CLEARANCE SALE THAT'S APPRECIATED

\$40.00 and \$35.00 Suits and Overcoats, \$21
\$30.00 and \$27.50 Suits and Overcoats, \$19
\$22.50 and \$20.00 Suits and Overcoats, \$14

GOOD SHIRTS

\$3.00 Shirts, \$1.65
\$2.50 Shirts, \$1.45
\$1.50 Shirts, \$1.15

Specialists in Good Clothes and Nothing Else

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Cheerfully
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(Correct Dress for Men.)
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Hats at Reduced Prices
25c choice of 50c values
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Choice of \$1.50 and \$2.00
Shirts \$1.10

Hosiery Clearance
Silk Hose, \$1.50 values, all
colors,
95c per pair.

Our entire stock of 50c and
75c Fancy Hose
25c per pair.

See Our Half Price Table
Just a little of everything.

GAND-DOWNS
Tejon at Kiowa.

WITNESS TELLS OF CONSPIRACY

SAYS STRIKE LEADERS
PLANNED EXPLOSION

Gives Names of Six Union La-
bor Men in Connection Hall
of Records Case

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 11.—Six
union labor men, all members of the
committee, which directed the strike
of structural iron workers in this city
last year, were charged today by J.
Maguire, district attorney, with
conspiring to dynamite the hall of
records, a conspiracy to dynamite the
hall of records, besides Connors, others
named by Parks were George
Conroy, C. A. Miner, Charles Stevens,
and a two years' term in San
Quentin, having passed the strike
breaker, and the case was indicted
jointly with Connors, A. B. Maguire and
C. L. Bender.

Parks declared Connors had said
that he and the other five had planned
the destruction of the county struc-
ture, and that their meetings some-
times were attended by C. L. Mars
and Logan Belhaven.

Parks testified, however, that Con-
ners told him that he, Maguire and
Bender were assigned to do the actual
work of planting the dynamite.

Sent Out "Wrecking Crews."
In addition, Parks asserted on cross-
examination, that the strikers sent
"wrecking crews" about the city at
night to break the legs of strike
breakers. Parks added that the
"wrecking crews" were anxious, par-
ticularly to "beat up" Gustave W.
Saurert, superintendent of construction
for the Llewellyn Iron works,
which had a contract for part of the
construction of the hall of records.

Parks asserted that the "wrecking
crews" were armed with "black jacks"
and pieces of gas pipe. He named
Connors, DeHaven, Mars and Stevens
as members of the "wrecking crew."

Parks told of a meeting between
Connors and Gurney following the
sending of a letter which figured in
yesterday's testimony.

Connors told me of a plan he had
for dynamiting the safe in the labor
temple in order to get money," Parks
went on. "He said there was \$25,000 or
\$30,000 in the safe. He told me he had
a stick of dynamite and enough fuse,
but no caps. He planned to place the
dynamite on the top of the safe. I
told him that if he dynamited the safe
he would destroy the temple. He
said:

"I'll dynamite the temple. I don't
have to go to work for money if he
wants to act thirty." He said he
knew enough about other union men
to send them to or to the peni-
tentiary if he wanted to tell it."

Franklin Probe Adjourned.
LOS ANGELES, Jan. 11.—Allegations
that Burr Franklin, the McNamara
detective, previously accused of
jury bribery in two instances during
the trial of James H. McNamee, had
made overtures to at least a third
prospective juror in the dynamite case
were investigated by the county grand
jury today.

The jurors examined several Mc-
Namara ventriloquist and others. Ad-
journment was taken until Monday.

many of these great business men
were ignorant of the laws."

"No."

Have a Smile Together.

"Now, don't you believe that
some men in the Carnegie company
knew they were violating the law?"

"Now, Mr. Reel, when you say that
I can see in your face an irresistible
smile."

"I see you are smiling, too," the
legislator answered.

"Yes, let's smile together, you with
me."

"But not be a villain still," he re-
ported.

Mr. Carnegie told the committee he
believed there was no necessity for a
protective tariff on steel. He ex-
plained that this country need not
fear foreign importation of steel in
case of free trade.

When asked if he did not think the
government regulation which was re-
commended was bordering dangerously
on Socialism, Mr. Carnegie declared
that Socialism had no terrors for him.

AMBASSADOR BACON QUILTS

Resigns Post at Paris to Take Up
Active Duties With Harvard
University

PARIS, Jan. 11.—Robert Bacon, am-
bassador of the United States at Paris,
today confirmed the report of his
resignation. Ambassador Bacon's letter
in which he announced his resignation
to President Taft is due to reach the
president at Washington today.

Mr. Bacon, especially refrained from
making his retirement public as he de-
sired the first announcement to come
from Harvard university, which
yesterday chose him to be a Fellow in
place of Judge Lowell deceased.

Ambassador Bacon said he wished
his friends to know that there were no
political motives for his resignation.

He had been for 17 years a member of
the board of overseers and could not
be said, declining the honor of becoming
a Fellow of Harvard which he con-
sidered to be the best single influence
for good in America.

Mr. Bacon added that he welcomed
the opportunity to identify himself
actively with the great problems of
American civic and national life.

"Is your resignation at this time in-
fluenced by the presidential election?"
he was asked.

"No," was the decisive answer. "I
have no intention of entering politics.
My relations with President Taft are
most friendly and most cordial. This
morning, I have voiced in my letter
of resignation."

Official Washington Surprised.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—News of

Friday Bargain Values

That Should Appeal to You.

Specials All Over the Store
Men's Wool Underwear
All Must Go, 20% Off
Embroidery Sale Now On
Muslin Underwear Sale Continued

Shoe Sales That Are Right

Men's \$5.00 Walk-Over Shoes; all styles	\$3.95
Men's \$4.00 Walk-Over Shoes; all styles	\$3.35
Men's \$3.50 Walk-Over Shoes; all styles	\$2.98
Men's \$3.00 Shoes	\$2.35
Men's \$2.50 Shoes	\$1.98
One lot of Men's \$4.00 Walk-Over Shoes; patents mostly	\$1.98
Ladies' \$5.00 Shoes	\$3.95
Ladies' \$4.00 Shoes	\$2.98
Ladies' \$3.50 Shoes	\$2.65
Ladies' \$3.00 Shoes	\$2.35
Ladies' \$2.50 Shoes	\$1.98
Children's \$1.50 Shoes; heavy-soles, sizes 5 to 11, pair	\$1.00
Boys' \$2.00 Shoes	\$1.48

Dress Goods

AT AWAY-DOWN PRICES
FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

36-inch all wool Storm Serges, in black, navy and brown;
Regular values 65c; special 49c
50-inch all wool Storm Serges, in black, navy, brown,
crimson and green; our leaders at \$1.00; special 90c
42-inch all wool Novelty Weaves of every description;
regular \$1.00 values; specials at 69c and 79c
24 and 27-inch fancy waist and dress Silks, in large as-
sortment; regular \$1.00 values; special 63c
36-inch black Satin Messaline and Leatherwear Taffeta;
\$1.25 values; special 89c

Domestic Department

EXTRA SPECIALS
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Hope Muslin, Special 8c Yd.
Best grade Hope Muslin, the old reliable soft finish for
the needle.

Sheeting Specials.

30c value, 9-4 Pepperell Bleached Sheeting;
special 25c yd.
28c value, 8-4 Pepperell Bleached Sheeting;
special 23c yd.

Cambrie Muslin Special

36-inch Lonsdale Cambrie; special 12 1/2c yd.
36-inch Honeycomb Cambrie; special 12 1/2c yd.
36-inch Union Jack Cambrie; special 10c yd.

Silkoline and Cretonne Special

36-inch Comforter Fraternities; special 10c
36-inch Comforter Silkolines; special 10c

Bedding Department

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY SPECIALS

\$2.25 and \$2.50 Comforters, Special \$1.98 Each
Silkoline covered Comforters; large size, 72x84 inches;
light or dark colors.

\$3.50 Blankets, Special \$2.98 Pr.

Extra heavy wool finish Cotton Blankets; large size; all
colors.

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Cotton Blankets; all colors; extra heavy; large size.

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Forced to Admit, on Stand, He

Recommended Knox for
Attorney General

NOT INFORMED OF LAWS

Tells Steel Probers He Was

Only Majority Stockholder
in Company

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Andrew
Carnegie, pressed hard today by mem-
bers of the house committee of in-
quiry into the United States Steel
corporation, admitted that he recom-
mended the appointment of Philander
C. Knox, the present secretary of
state, as attorney general in McKin-
ley's cabinet in 1901. Mr. Knox having
been one of the general counselors of
the Carnegie Steel company after 1899,
when the Sherman antitrust law was
passed.

Mr. Carnegie repeatedly had de-
clared before the committee that he
never knew that the participation of
his company in the steel plate pool
and other like pools was unlawful, and
Representative McGillicuddy, of Maine,
endeavored to show that he had recom-
mended to President McKinley the
appointment of Mr. Knox after the
latter, as counsel for his company, had
left him so many years in ignorance
of the government statutes.

Mr. Carnegie also told the commit-
tee that he believed no protective
tariff was necessary on steel rails or
steel products, with the exception of
needles, that are not manufactured in
this country. He asserted that con-
gress need have no fear that foreign
rails would flood the United States if
the tariff were removed.

Given Uncomfortable Half Hour.

The ironmaster was given an un-
comfortable half hour late in the day
by Representative McGillicuddy and
he is to be recalled tomorrow, though
he urged that he be permitted to com-
plete his testimony today.

"You said that you did not know for
many years the scope of the Sherman
antitrust law," said Mr. McGillicuddy
in beginning his examination of Mr.
Carnegie. "Between the years 1899
and 1900 you were the head of the Car-
negie Steel company, were you not?"

"I never was its head, not even a
director," Mr. Carnegie replied. "I
was the majority stockholder, owning
54 per cent of the stock."

"From 1899 until 1900 you had attorney
lawyers," Mr. McGillicuddy asked.

"The company had attorneys,"
Mr. Carnegie replied. "Was Philander C. Knox, the present
secretary of state, one of them?"

"Yes, Mr. Knox was one of our at-
torneys. He was of the firm of Knox
& Reed, J. H. Reed."

Mr. Reed was sitting at Mr. Car-
negie's side, appearing as his counsel
at the inquiry.

Was Philander C. Knox counsel for
the company between the years 1899
and 1900?"

Mr. Carnegie whispered to Mr. Reed
and then answered that he was.

Not Told Pools Unlawful.

"During all that period did Mr.
Knox or any of your counselors advise
you of the existence of the Sher-
man antitrust law, passed in 1890, and
that such pools as your company par-
ticipated in were unlawful?"

"I never heard a word from any of
them," Mr. Carnegie said, "and I do
not think that they understood that
the Sherman law had anything to do
with our business. I had heard some-
where of the Sherman law but thought
it applied only to railways."

Wasn't it the duty of your legal

advisers to keep the company advised
as to the laws passed by congress and
the states?"

"I supposed that they would consult
with the officials," was the reply. "I
have said I never was an official."

"What did you have attorneys for?"
"To appeal to in case of suits."

"Now, Mr. Carnegie, as principal
owner of the Carnegie Steel company,
for which Philander C. Knox was the
principal attorney, would you have ex-
pected him to inform you about legis-
lation as important as the Sherman
antitrust law?"

Did Not Expect Notification.

"No, sir; I had no relations with
these gentlemen. I was simply a
holder of stock. Was I, as such, to be
bothered by these lawyers when I had
men to run the business?"

"Then you were left in absolute ig-
norance as to the effect of the Sher-
man law?"

"Yes, sir."

Mr. Carnegie, Representative Mc-
Gillicuddy continued, "did you recom-
mend to President McKinley after his
election in 1900 that this same attor-
ney, Philander C. Knox, who left you
in blissful ignorance all those years
as to the effect of the Sherman law,
be appointed attorney general of the
United States?"

"Mr. Carnegie looked at his ques-
tioner in amazement. He started to
speak, turned suddenly to Attorney
Reed and exclaimed:

"Yes, sir."

Mr. Reed almost in a whisper and
with a smile on his face, replied:

"Yes, you wrote a letter to the presi-
dent about Knox's appointment."

"Now, Mr. Carnegie," Mr. McGillicuddy
went on, "after 10 years ex-
perience with that attorney, who did
not let you know about laws about
which you could have learned, you
recommended him as a proper and fit-
ting attorney general of the
United States?"

Objects to Form of Query.

"Yes, I did," he replied, "but I ob-
ject to the form of your question. Mr.
Knox had no official relations with me
after his appointment."

"About the same time that Mr. Knox
went into the president's cabinet, did
he pay you, Mr. Carnegie, go into the di-
rectorate of the United States Steel
corporation?" Mr. McGillicuddy asked.

Mr. Reed, appealed to by his client,
replied that he did.

Before the ironmaster was asked as
to his views on the tariff, several
members of the committee heckled him
about the ignorance of these pool owners
about the importance of the laws.

"Don't you think it rather unusual,"
Representative Beall asked, "that so

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graphite deposits are found in coal
where the intrusion of masses of
self-heated liquefied igneous rock
metamorphosed the coal, thus
forming graphite. An example of this
natural manufacture of graphite-out-
let coal is described in one of the 70
pages of the United States Geological
Survey on the Hatch coal field of New
Mexico. On the other hand, large
quantities of high-grade graphite are
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Pictures showing the Rev. Clarence V. F. Richardson, who has been sentenced to die for the murder of Avis Linnell,
at the age of 19, taken at Carrollton, Mo., a short time after he left home. Miss Linnell is shown as she appeared at the
age of 15. She was 19 years old at the time of the tragedy.

there was scarcely time today to de-
velop the potential strength of the
ambassadors of lesser station and the
various American ministers, who, by
right of courtesy, might aspire to fill
the vacancy that might be caused by
Mr. Bacon's retirement.

To outsiders the name of Otto Bar-
nard of New York was the first to be
brought forward with regard to the vacancy.
Secretary Stimson's name also was
used, and in the state department it-
self there was some talk of Assistant
Secretary Wilson.

From Judge

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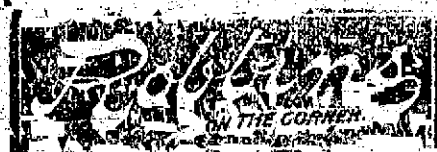
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S. H. KINSLEY

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A. F. WOODRUFF

Who is the New Vice President of the El Paso County Bar Association.

is the "supreme contribution of the great Tontine to the world's happiness and without it our nation would no longer endure.

"But with increased facilities for intercommunication between the people of the several states has come increased need for uniformity in those laws which affect the dealings of the man in New York with the man in Colorado or California. It is to the reciprocal interest of both that equality of these laws should be made uniform by the voluntary action of their several state legislatures and within your time and mine we are engaged in that effort and have been."

Mr. Kelley elaborated on the speech made by Mr. Hill.

R. H. Arnold, Daniel W. Knapp and George B. Hatcher made members of the association.

NO DINNER FOR HIM

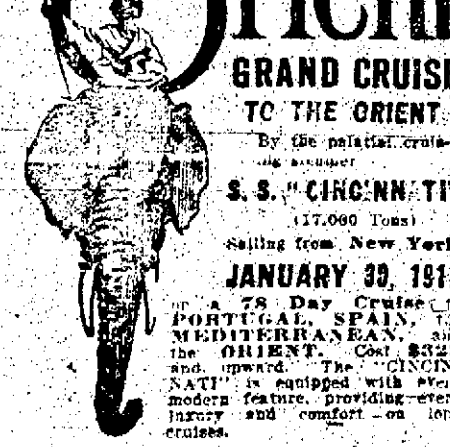
Admiral Custerhaus, at a luncheon in New York said of a naval disappointment.

"It was as disappointing as absence-mindedness, Christmas dinner."

"Hear, you know, I had almost mindfully one Christmas night into the town of a railway station and asked: 'Look here, waiter, did you say I had 20 minutes to wait or that it was 20 minutes to eight?'"

"The tipperary waiter stopped carrying a turkey leg over to reply."

"I said nothing. I said I had 20 minutes to wait, but that was 19 minutes ago. There's yer thain whistling for ye now."



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John J. Breen (below), who is the new vice president of the El Paso County Bar Association.

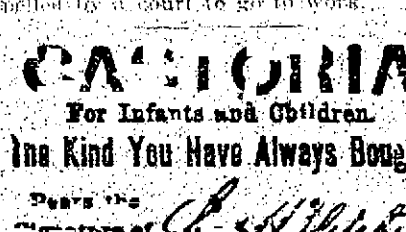
in the spring of 1910 with Miss Ethel Croker, (above), daughter of Edward Croker, former boss of Tammany hall, was filed suit for \$100,000 damages against Mr. Croker and his two sons, Howard and Richard, Jr., charging them with alienating the affections of his young wife. Breen was a graduate of a fashionable riding academy when he met Miss Croker, and after a brief courtship eloped to Hoboken, N. J., and were married. They separated soon after.

GOMPERS INSISTS THAT ANTITRUST LAW EXEMPT LABOR ORGANIZATIONS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11. Backing up his demand that the Sherman antitrust law should be amended so as to exempt labor organizations from its provisions, Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, who appeared before the senate interstate commerce committee today, quoted an interview he had with ex-President Roosevelt. According to Mr. Gompers, said that the law should be amended so that it would not include what is unlawful and anti-trust reference for labor organizations. He said he would take it up with his cabinet during the summer, but that was all that came of it, except that he frequently made reference, in his swing around the western states, to the fact that the law should be amended.

Mr. Gompers said he had been given assurances that the Sherman law would not affect labor organizations, but never took them seriously. "We don't want such assurances," he said. "Either we exist or right or we would be dissolved. We do not want to be dissolved or killed in a fanciful security that we do not possess. The men of labor want to know their status."

Referring to a court decree where the laboring men were prohibited from striking, Mr. Gompers said: "It is a ruling made by a court, not a ruling made by a court decree and no man in this country should be compelled to work at their own peril. No man in this country should be compelled to work at their own peril."



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French President Will Offer Premiership to Man Who Won't Accept

PARIS, Jan. 11.—President Fallieres has decided to offer a premiership to Leon Bourgeois tomorrow, but as Mr. Bourgeois undoubtedly will decline for reasons of health, the president must look elsewhere for a man capable of forming a cabinet and ensuring a republican majority.

Mr. Bourgeois is at present in the senate. He has held the position of premier, minister of foreign affairs, minister of public instruction, minister of the interior, minister of justice and president of the public chamber of deputies.

It is doubtful whether M. Delcasse, who yesterday was appointed foreign minister prior to the resignation of the cabinet, would accept the premiership, even if it were offered him.

Ex-Premier Clemenceau, who largely was responsible for the present overthrow, apparently is barred by his criticism of the Franco-German accord, which all parties recognize must speedily be ratified. It is expected that M. Delcasse, M. Poincaré and M. Merland, of public works, will enter the new combination in some capacity.

LORIMER TELLS STORY OF EARLY LIFE IN POLITICS

Declares His Position in Regards to James G. Blaine Gained Him Opposition of Chicago Paper.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Senator Lorimer of Illinois today told the story of his early life in politics to the senate investigating committee and the leaders of his differences with some of the Chicago newspaper publishers. The opposition of H. H. Kohlsaat, the publisher of the Chicago Tribune, began at the Chicago convention at which James G. Blaine was nominated for president.

"I was a Blaine man and began to organize the Illinois delegation for him," said Senator Lorimer. Mr. Kohlsaat sent one of his men to tell me that he had no objection if I voted for Blaine myself, but that I must stop working to split the Illinois delegation or he would put me out of public life. I went on just the same.

"Did you ever talk to Mr. Kohlsaat about driving you out of the party?" asked Senator Kern.

"Never talked to him. 'I don't think I ever talked to him in public life,' replied Mr. Lorimer. 'but what happened afterward verified what he said. A newspaper story came out that I had stolen \$300,000 from the Chicago water department. Experts bookkeepers reported I had turned in every cent I collected. About four lines were printed to that effect, false and the suppression was left with many people that I had stolen the money.'"

"Differences with the late Joseph Medill, owner of the Tribune, he testified, began when Mr. Medill was said to have been a candidate for the United States senate.

"It was about 1885," said Senator Lorimer, "when he sent for me and told him it would be impossible to elect him. I told him I could not support him as many of my friends were pledged to do. C. M. Davis, Colonel Davis later released them with the request that they work for Medill, but the latter withdrew before the caucus adjourned, and from that time his attacks on the men who had deserted but were willing to support him were very bitter. He never indicated what his grievance was and he never connected the attacks with his candidacy, but they came on regularly."

Supported Him Once.

"Did the Tribune ever support you?" asked Senator Kern.

"It did once. It said I was unfit for office, but that it was no time for the public to quarrel and that I had better be elected with the rest. They had opposed me constantly since 1885."

"What was the cause of your quarrel with the newspaper other than the Tribune?"

"Medill used to control Republican affairs pretty much in Cook county, and when Kohlsaat came in he wanted to divide the influence, and I quarreled with him because I would not do things he wanted me to do."

Senator Lorimer related an instance in which he said the Chicago papers had charged him with fraud in an election when he was running for congress.

"The matter never was opened on the subject of making an investigation, and it was found that I had 12 more votes than had been claimed for me."

UNEXPECTED OPPOSITION BY DEMOCRATIC SENATORS

Do Not Favor Lodge Amendment to Resolution for Ratification of Arbitration Treaties

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—The Lodge amendment to the resolution for ratification of the arbitration treaties with Great Britain and France has stirred unexpected opposition from Democratic senators.

It is favored, however, by three-fourths of the Republican senators, who accept it as a happy compromise of all differences. The amendment, introduced by the committee on foreign relations, meeting yesterday, was presented by Mr. Lodge in executive session today.

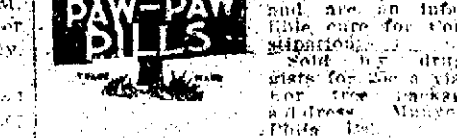
Before the Lodge modification was suggested, seven or eight Democratic senators had indicated a willingness to support the treaties, some without amendment and others with amendment which would reserve from arbitration all questions involving strictly American subjects. These Democrats, however, took the position that the Lodge amendment conflicted with the treaties themselves. Consequently, these senators oppose it as a practical modification of the vital parts of the treaties.

Suggest Omitting Clause.

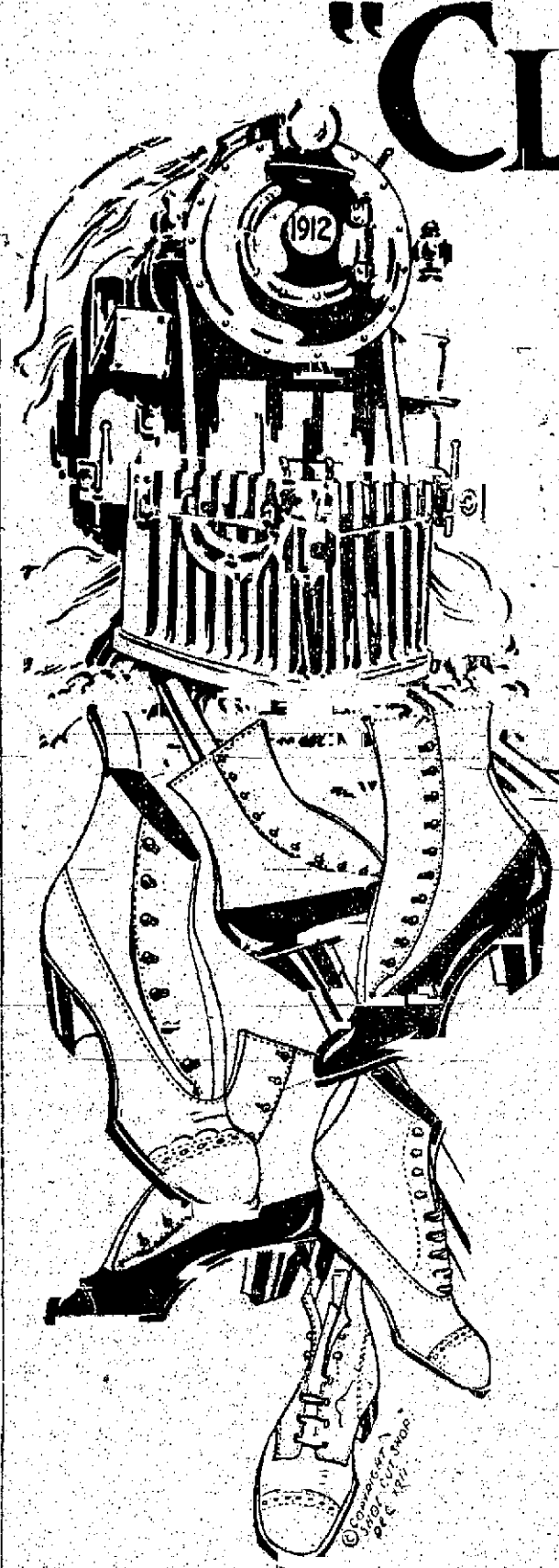
The last clause of article 3 of the treaties provides for final determination of the judicially final questions by the joint house committee. These Democratic senators who desire the treaties amended contended today that a clause preferable to the Lodge amendment would be to omit entirely the last clause of article 3 as originally suggested by the majority of the foreign relations committee.

Their argument was that the effect of the acceptance of the amendment would be to restore all the senate prerogatives.

The Republican senators are not strong enough to put through the treaties without Democratic assistance and some concern was expressed as to the attitude of Democratic senators.



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This "Clear the Track" Sale is to be without parallel among former stock clearing sales. Get in at the start while the Bargain Picking is of the best.

Following are a few of the main items, but there are dozens of other big attractions in each department.

Ladies' Velvet, Suede and Tan Russia Calf Shoes, in button patterns; this season's styles, very dainty patterns, but broken lines. \$4.00 to \$5.00 grades; Clear the Track Sale price, \$2.65

Ladies' Gun Metal Shoes, in plain and tip toes, short vamps, button pattern. Goodyear welt soles; all sizes and widths; "Clear the Track"	
\$4.00 grades for	\$2.95
\$3.50 grades for	\$2.65
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Ladies' Patent Calf Shoes, with dull mat kid, cloth and velvet tops, welt and turn soles, short vamps; the season's newest styles; Clear the Track	
\$4.00 grades for	\$2.95
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\$3.00 grades for	\$2.35

Ladies' Oxfords and Pumps, all leathers; also satin and velvet, welt and turn soles; also eight-strap pump in velvet and Himalaya cloth. Clear the Track Sale price	1/4 OFF
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Men's Patent Calf, Tan Russia and Storm Calf, Gun Metal Calf and Vici Kid Shoes; about 25 styles to choose from; this season's models. Clear the Track	
\$4.00 grades for	\$3.65
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Men's Oxfords and Pumps, all leathers, Goodyear welt soles, swing and straight lasts. Clear the Track	
\$5.00 grades for	\$3.65
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Three pairs for	\$5.00

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Three pairs for	\$5.00

Table No. 3—Ladies' small sizes, odd pairs good wearing, \$2.00 to \$2.50 grades	
One pair	\$1.00
Five pairs	\$4.00

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who heretofore have been classed as friendly to the treaties. Senators Raynor and Williams were favorable to them without any modification.

Text of Lodge Amendment.

The text of the Lodge amendment to the ratification resolution follows: "The senate advises and consents to the ratification of the treaties with the understanding, to be made a part of such ratification, that if any joint high commission of inquiry to which shall be referred the question of whether or not a difference is subject to arbitration under article 3 of the treaty, as provided by article 3 thereof, the American members shall be appointed by the president, subject to the advice and consent of the senate, and with the further understanding that the reservation in article 1 of the treaty, that the special agreement in each case shall be made by the president of the senate in the full exercise of its constitutional powers in respect to every special agreement, whether submitted to the senate as the result of the report of a joint high commission of inquiry under article 3 or otherwise."

Doesn't Denote Surrender.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—It is a mistake, said Secretary Knox today, to allege that the resolution of ratification of the peace treaties proposed by Senator Lodge involves a surrender to the administration or the senate of the treaties.

The third article of the treaty, as expressed by the majority report of the committee on foreign relations, was that it could be construed to take away the senate's power to approve or disapprove a special agreement for arbitration after the commission had reported the difference arbitrable under the first article.

"The administrative position was that it could not be so construed. That if the commission reports the difference arbitrable an agreement is made to arbitrate it and the agreement is sent to the senate for approval just as if no such question had been raised and the senate deals with it with its impaired powers. The Lodge resolution merely reserves that with that understanding the treaties should be ratified."

HIS SUSPICION

From the Chicago Record-Herald.
"Why did you leave the place in which you were previously employed?" asked the head of the firm.
"I think," said the applicant for the position of office boy, "the boss was afraid if I stayed I might get his place."

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SHUSTER LEAVES PERSIA

Ex-Treasurer-General, Before Departing for Europe, Issues Statement Scoring Cabinet.

TEHRAN, Jan. 11.—W. Morgan Shuster, the American recently removed as treasurer-general of Persia, left today for Europe, accompanied by his family and Edward Bell, secretary of the American legation at Teheran.

They will proceed by way of Batum on the Black sea and Constantinople.

Prior to his departure, Mr. Shuster issued this statement: "On December 25, the illegally appointed cabinet notified me of the termination of my services after ascertaining that I would not contest the action. The National council having been abolished I felt justified in accepting the dismissal of the de facto government. Since then, in spite of repeated requests, no proper steps have been taken to relieve my duties. The members of the cabinet, vindictive on account of the fact that the National council appointed me, sought by all possible means to humiliate and embarrass me."

"After receiving an impolite and incoherent proposal to turn over my office, I notified the cabinet on January 5 that the office would be transferred to F. E. Cairns in 48 hours, to enable me to get out with my family before the funds were pilfered by them. No method was taken to remove the cabinet, and Mr. Cairns in charge with com-

plete authority and authorized to transfer the office to his successor.

"To my opinion the members of the Persian commission are entirely unfit for the functions of treasury administration."

It is understood that the committee appointed to take over the duties of the treasury-generalship, composed of four members, has resigned. Mr. Shuster, the Belgian ex-director of Persian customs, it is understood, will assume charge of the department.

It is reported that Chief-Mollah Agha Khan is inciting the people to a war.

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COLLEGE DAY FOR COLO. SPRINGS WILL BE PART OF THE ANNUAL PROGRAM

College day for Colorado Springs probably will become a part of the regular annual program at Colorado college from now on. The day has been observed a number of times in past years and will be held this year, Saturday, February 2, from 9 to 5 p. m. A member of the committee in charge said yesterday:

"College day is a natural outgrowth of conditions that prevail in Colorado Springs. There are hundreds of persons every year who come to the college to see its laboratories, shops and general equipment, and there is constantly an influx of new families into the city who desire educational facilities for their children.

"Because so many persons desired to acquaint themselves with the facilities of the college for education, all the shops were thrown open a couple of years ago to the public for one afternoon, and the number of visitors was very great. Last year the day was held in March, and a very large number of persons, both men and women, were present, so large a number, in fact, that it was decided this year to make the invitation less general, extending it only to men, so that the men of the town might have an opportunity to become better acquainted with the institution. To this end the entire college plant will be thrown open during the hours specified—laboratories, shops, laboratories, library and recitation halls.

President Stearns and members of the faculty will be in the buildings and laboratories of the college during the entire afternoon and evening to receive visitors. The board of managers of the Women's Education society will serve light refreshments on this occasion.

No formal invitations will be issued to the men of the community, but all men are cordially invited to avail themselves of this opportunity to see what the college really is offering in the way of educational facilities. Those in charge of the program hope that a large number will be present.

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COUNTY G. O. P. OFFICIALS MEET IN DENVER FEB. 12

Jesse F. McDonald, chairman of the Republican state central committee, has issued a call for a meeting of the chairman and secretaries of the various county committees of the state, in the Brown Palace hotel, Denver, Monday afternoon, February 12, at 2 o'clock. The purpose of the meeting is to consult and advise with the state chairman and the advisory board as to ways and measures for the welfare of the party throughout the state. R. T. Schneider is chairman and W. A. Scully is secretary of the El Paso county Republican central committee. Both probably will attend.

E. M. COHEN RETURNS FROM BUYING TRIP

Mr. E. M. Cohen, the well-known shoe man, has just returned from the east, where he visited the leading manufacturers and placed orders for a complete stock of up-to-date footwear for his new store at 108 E. Pikes Peak Ave. Mr. Cohen expects to be ready for business about the first of March, with the finest line of shoes in the city at low prices.

CLOCKS AT AUCTION

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DANK BUYS SCHOOL BONDS

At a premium of \$250, or 1 per cent above par, the board of education has closed a deal with the Exchange National bank for the sale of \$25,000 worth of school bonds. The bonds represent one-half of an issue of \$50,000 voted at the election in 1910. The other half is yet to be sold, and money probably will be used in paying for the site of the new high school. The bonds are not to be closed for two pieces of property on the proposed high school site, but it is expected that the exchange will be made in the near future.

FILES ANSWER AS TO SUIT FOR INSURANCE

In the case of Hattie Mason, Charles S. Goad and Clarence Goad, minors, by their next friend their mother, Mary Goad, against the Modern Woodmen of America and Ella J. Hall, Mary Goad yesterday filed an answer in the district court in compliance with a court order requiring her to state what interest or claim she has in the payment of a \$2,000 beneficiary. The answer sets forth that she makes no claim to the proceeds of any benefit certificate issued by the defendant organization upon the life of Samuel Goad. "Save that if by the findings of the court or a jury, or the effect that the plaintiff nor said defendant are entitled to the proceeds of the benefit certificate, then in that event, Mary Goad claims that as sole beneficiary named in the certificate issued by the Modern Woodmen of America and dated May, 1900, to be entitled to receive said \$2,000 as the only beneficiary of Samuel Goad."

IN ROOM TO ESCAPE COLD MAN SUCCUMBS TO HEAT

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Jan. 11.—Despite the bitter cold, the city records of the past 24 hours here show a death caused from extreme heat—escape outdoor rigors. Dr. McCarthy went into the drying room at the mill where he is employed. The extreme heat caused his collapse and death within 10 minutes.

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A hearty appetite, with thorough digestion, and without the slightest discomfort or misery of the Stomach, is waiting for you as soon as you decide to try Pope's Diapepsin.

BURNS OPENLY OUT TO DUST MANAGEMENT OF ISABELLA MINES CO.

James F. Burns, J. H. Gay, W. C. Robinson, John T. Hawkins and other mining men of this city are lined up against President E. E. Quentin of Denver and other members of the present directorate for control of the Isabella Mines company. An interesting fight is promised at the time of the annual meeting in Cheyenne, Wyo., February 5. E. M. Kirtan of Colorado Springs is secretary-treasurer.

The present management is charged with incompetency and extravagance, and the promise is made in a letter directed to stockholders asking for proxies, that there will be a considerable reduction in salary. Mr. Burns' name is attached to the letter. It reads in part:

"The present board, composed almost entirely of stock brokers, are not, in my opinion, managing the property to the best interests of the stockholders, as can be seen readily from the financial condition of the company. Neither do I look upon them as competent mining men."

On the other hand, the officers and directors say that the company has made a very creditable showing during the last year, and point to the present condition of the stock, which has been unusually active, and in spite of liberal sales has risen from 12 1/2 to 17 1/2 cents a share.

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Loses 1912 Convention; but Hopes for Next Year

The attempt has failed to secure for Colorado Springs the 1912 meeting of the commissioners on uniform legislation, anguished by governors of 16 rate states, but there is a probability that this city will get the 1913 meeting.

The commission actually met a few days in advance, and near the place of the meeting of the American Bad association. Denver made an attempt to get the American Bar association and the Colorado Bar association meetings in August, and the commission; it was planned, were to meet here the week preceding. Word has

Woman's Happiness

The highest point of woman's happiness is reached only through motherhood, in the clasping of her child within her arms. Yet the mother-to-be is often fearful of nature's ordeal and shirks from the suffering incident to its consummation. But for nature's ill and discomforts nature provides remedies, and in Mother's Friend to be found a medicine of great value to every expectant mother. It is an oily emulsion for external application, composed of ingredients which act with beneficial and soothing effect on those portions of the system involved. It is intended to prepare the system for the crisis, and thus relieve, in great part, the suffering through which the mother usually passes. The regular use of Mother's Friend will repay any mother in the comfort it affords before, and the helpful restoration to health and strength it brings about after baby comes. Mother's Friend is for sale at drug stores. Write for our free book for expectant mothers which contains much valuable information, and many suggestions of a helpful nature. BRADY'S REGULATOR CO., Atlanta, Ga.

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A general clearance of all odd lots Friday and Saturday. Good merchandise for a mere song. Glance through this list and come early if interested.

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One lot of heatherbloom, percale and satine petticoats, in various styles in all lengths. These originally \$2.00 to \$3.50, now just half.

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one lot gowns and tends in women's gowns to close at 75c; values here up to \$1.25 each.

Flannelette 98c gowns

Balance of our regular lines of \$1.25 gowns in all sizes and kinds to close at 98c.

Flannelette 1.18 gowns

Balance of our regular \$1.50 and \$2.00 grades to close out at \$1.18. Show in all sizes and good line of colors and effects.

Children's 50c gowns

Regular 60c and 75c values for children, 2 to 14 years of age. Line of colors.

Children's Coats 1/2 Price

All kinds of garments for girls 6 to 14 years of age. Fair assortment.

Children's Dresses 1/2 PRICE

Everything in wool dresses at just half price, which is less than cost of materials alone.

Children's Dresses 68c

Wash dresses, value up to \$1.25 and \$1.50. Other lines of wash dresses correspondingly reduced in price.

Undermuslins

Friday and Saturday THE LAST DAYS of the general sale on undermuslins. Don't fail to attend the greatest sale we have ever held. These two days, choose from the entire stock and we deduct 20% from the regular prices. SEVERAL EXTRA SPECIAL LOTS at even greater reduction. Remember, the above offer closes Saturday night.

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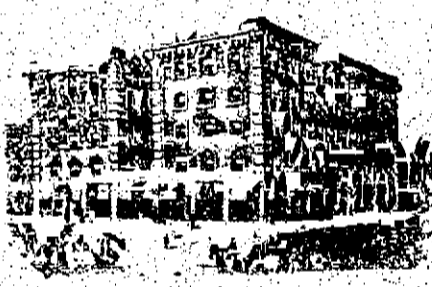
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Any tailored suit, cloth coat, evening or street dress in stock

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Any this season's silk or wash waist in stock

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STORY AT THE AUDITORIUM HOTEL

While attending the Stock Show in Denver from the 14th to the 20th, the Stock Yards car only one-half block from hotel, everything new, clean and quiet with every modern convenience, prices during Stock Show \$1.50 per day and upward, \$1.50 per day and upward for two in a room. Take Col. tax car at Depot to Stock Street.

Just been received that the 1912 meeting of the national bar members will be held in Milwaukee, which means that the commissioners will not meet here. The fact that Denver and Colorado Springs were strong contenders for the 1913 bar year makes it appear more probable that meetings will be proper to this date.

Grand Concert

by the Royal Welsh Ladies Choir, directed by Madame Hughes Thomas, under the auspices of the Brotherhood Bible class of the First Presbyterian church, Wednesday, January 17, 1912. Admission, including reserved seat, \$1.00. Tickets now on sale at Willis' Music Store, 122 1/2 East Pikes Peak Ave.

Rare Musical Treat Promised by Royal Welsh Ladies Choir

The concert to be given in the First Presbyterian church next Wednesday night by the Royal Welsh Ladies choir will be a musical event of much interest to the people of this city. Musically speaking, it promises to be a rare treat, and from the standpoint of the choir's reputation it should draw a large audience.

The reputation the Welsh lady singers have established in this country is indicated by the following press criticism:

"The Royal Welsh Ladies choir is unique in this way, being a mixed, balanced and fully equipped collection of women singers, with a woman as conductor, and directing her choir with dignity and intelligence. All the voices have a delightfully fresh quality. Musically, intelligence is another marked feature, and these gifted young women displayed what can be done with good voices, for in volume and total beauty they accomplished what one would expect from double the number."—The Courier, Buffalo, N. Y.

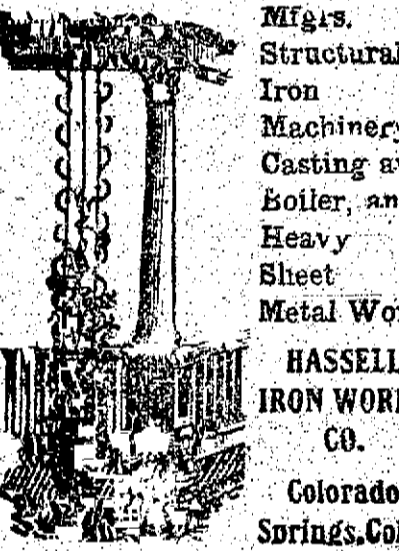
Today the members of the large audience who were present, are telling their friends of the great musical treat of their lives, even the thought of which sends shivers after thrill through one's temperament. Daily News, Bangor, Pa.

PURCELL TO CONDUCT MURDER CASE AT CAMP

Mr. W. Purcell, assistant district attorney, has been asked to go to Camp Croft Monday to take charge of the prosecution against Clerk Holcomb when he will be charged on trial for the murder of W. G. Pate. The case will be heard before District Judge Owen. It is alleged that Holcomb first robbed the man and then killed him. Public sentiment favors Holcomb in the Grapple Creek district.

FIREMEN SAVE DOG IN NET

CHICAGO, Jan. 11.—While flames were destroying the Oakdale hotel in Austin today a woman and a man appeared at a window on an upper floor and called to firemen for help. A moment later a blanket was thrown down by the man. Several firemen grasped the sides of the blanket and braced themselves to catch the body that was to fall into the improvised life net. Suddenly out of the smoke came



gazed her about, the woman's head appeared and she cried: "Hold tight, men." "Now put up a ladder and we'll come down," came the order from above. "So a ladder was raised and the couple descended unhurt."

Besides the Oakdale hotel, three other buildings were destroyed. The loss was \$50,000.



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VAUDEVILLE HOLDS NO CHARM FOR M. O'TOOLE

Costly Flinger Says He's a Ball Player, Not an Actor, and Knows It

BOSTON, Jan. 11.—Pittsburg base-ball fans may now sit up on their hind legs and emit one long, loud howl. The "Marty" O'Toole's world-famous \$22,500 pitching arm is just as good as ever was, and the big spitball heaver is just as good as ever was. The season of 1912 will be his best.

Not only does Marty J. come to bat with the assertion that his wing is in condition, but this statement has the enthusiastic endorsement of the St. Paul recruit's brothers—four stalwart base-catchers and every one of them a ball player and a good one, too. If they can say it themselves, who should?

The brothers are not only ball players, but they look the part. To say they are proud of Marty's unique place on the baseball hall of fame expressed with the soft pedal working overtime. They watched the condition of his throwing arm anxiously for many weeks after his return home and are now absolutely convinced that it is all right. They make this statement collectively and individually. When a ball player tells anything confidentially as a watchdog of the press its bound to be right and the brothers solemnly agree, privately as well as publicly, that the "Pittsburg" representative of the Marty O'Toole is fit as the proverbial mule.

Marty is taking mighty good care this winter of that priceless flinger apparatus which constitutes his chief stock in trade. He is convinced that the serious trouble he had at the close of last season was caused by overwork before he joined Fred Clarke's band, and that it has already been entirely overcome by a continued application of the rest cure.

In the good old days Marty was just an ordinary ballplayer, he picked bowling as a lousy winter sport, but he doesn't play this winter. He thought it would be a fine stunt to join a gang of woodchoppers. Life in the open, he figured, would be great sport and the daily ax-swinging particularly attractive. But as he says himself, it was better theory than practice and a few experimental days cured him of the woodsman's desire.

Nowadays his daily practice is to do an Edward Payson Weston for about five miles, showing particular enthusiasm over an uphill hike in stormy weather. He figures this is good for his breathing apparatus and gives his lungs a good workout. He doesn't think about it.

Needless to say, Marty is the hero of his home town and is kept pretty busy dodging dinner engagements, receptions and the like. He is a modest and about as talkative as Connie Mack when it comes down to discussing himself. While the Pittsburg prize hunter absolutely declines to foot his

TOM RYAN WILL WRESTLE CRIPPLE CREEK CHAMPION

Tommy Ryan, the local wrestling and boxing expert, is going after the gold cup wrestling title. Next Tuesday night he meets Champion Faber in a bout in Cripple Creek. Ryan has figured in a number of matches here this winter and is in first-class condition.

Since coming to Colorado Springs, Ryan has been conducting an athletic club for the benefit of business and professional men who want to learn boxing or wrestling. A number of prominent men are in his classes, and his club is growing in popularity every week.

WELLS CANCELS HIS UNITED STATES TRIP

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Bombardier Wells, the English fighter, has canceled passage which he engaged on the steamship Olympic for New York and has accepted an offer for a series of exhibitions in London. His agent here said today that Wells probably would defer his visit to America until next season.

HAYES BREAKS HAND

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 11.—Grover Hayes, the Philadelphia lightweight boxer, will not be able to fulfill his engagements for Youngstown, O., and San Francisco, because of a fractured bone in his right hand. The accident happened while Hayes was doing gymnasium work here today.

PEARSON BEATS EHLER

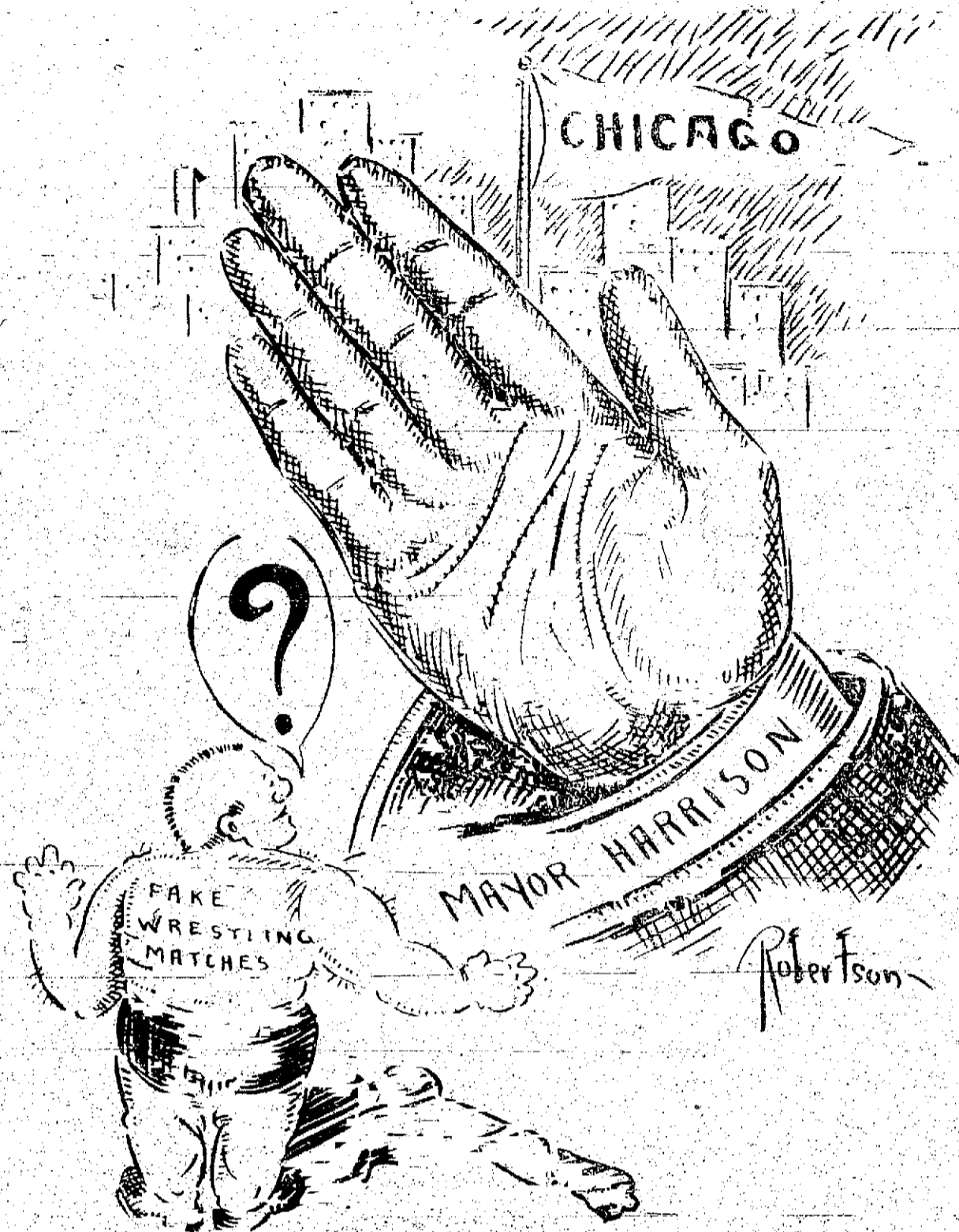
ST. LOUIS, Jan. 11.—Less Pearson, hailed by local promoters as the wrestling champion of Europe, won his match from Franz Ehler of Bohemia here today in two falls. The first fall came after 29 minutes of grappling. They wrestled nine minutes for the second fall.

JOHNNY REAGAN DEAD

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 11.—Johnny Reagan, former featherweight champion of the world, died here today after a short illness of pneumonia. Reagan contracted a severe cold after fighting six rounds with Young Johnson of Granite City, Ill., on New Year's eve.

BARRED

By Robertson



MORRIS IS AFTER TURKEY WISH-BONES

CAPT. GEORGE MORRIS of the Detroit baseball team, will soon be seen after for the turkey wish-bone. He is expected to be in Chicago on Jan. 11.

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COLUMBIA TEAM WON FROM CORNELL IN WATER POLO

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Columbia defeated Cornell in their dual swimming meet tonight, in the Columbia pool, with a total of 38 points to the Red-Devils' 13. The water polo game, after the swimming matches, stood a tie, 10-10, at the end of the regular period, and the game was called. The 20-vard relay race was won by Columbia, in 1:50.2-5.

CARNEY TAKES SECOND BLOCK, CUTTING DOWN DE CRO'S LEAD BY 13

DENVER, Jan. 11.—Joseph Carney, Pacific coast champion, on 12 points from the block, secured last night by Alvin. He was expected to be in Chicago on Jan. 11.

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AD WOLGAST PLANS LONG JOURNEY IN AUTOMOBILE

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 11.—Ad Wolgast, lightweight champion, bought an automobile today and announced that he would make an automobile trip from Los Angeles to his home, Cadillac, Mich., during the first part of April. He added that Ad Wolgast would drive the entire distance.

CHARLESTON MEET MUST BE ACCORDING TO RULES

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—The Jockey club president, John Macdonald, president of the Charleston race track, has announced that the race meeting, proposed to be held, beginning January 11, in Charleston, will be run according to the rules of the Jockey club, and not according to the rules of the local track.

BANTAMWEIGHT CHAMP TOO FAST FOR KITSON

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Jan. 11.—The Bantam champion of Chicago, after the rounds of fast and furious boxing, here tonight, all but knocked out George Kitson of New York. The contestants went into the ring at least 115 pounds. Kitson's seconds threw up the sponge.

BALDWIN BESTS MOORE

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Maggie Baldwin of Boston outpointed Pat Moore of Philadelphia in a clever fight here tonight. The men fought at the light-weight limit.

BRUNSWICK SCORES

The Brunswick boys got out of three from the City Hall boxing team on the Brunswick "Alley" last night. Moore's bowling featured, his scores of 226 and 211 being the highest during the match. Scores:

BRUNSWICK	155	211
Moore	155	211
Decker	155	211
Drake	155	211
Murphy	155	211
Totals	155	211

OVERLAND SCORES

The Powell-Pomer five took two out of three games from the Robbins team on the Overland alley last night. Powell and Pomer were the only winners. Scores:

OVERLAND	155	211
Powell	155	211
Pomer	155	211
Robbins	155	211
Totals	155	211

FORMER FISTIC STARS PROSPER IN BUSINESS

Many Old-Time Ring Celebrities Succeed After Quitting Prize Ring

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 11.—It's rather interesting, and a little back track, to see what has become of the fading fighters of the past, who left their days of the prize ring for the quiet life of the business world.

Many of the old-time stars, still enjoying considerable financial success, are now in the business world, and some of them are doing very well. They follow the Victorian gladiator around, and show him with gifts and flattery, but when he's beaten and goes down and out, the world turns its back on him, and he finds himself alone and forsaken. This is true in business as well as in other walks of life.

Some days, I hope, there will come some kindly philanthropist who will establish a home for disabled fighters, who are unable to labor, where they can live in comfort in their old days. I firmly believe that the millions of fight fans of this country, England and Australia, would gladly subscribe toward an institution of that kind.

Why shouldn't worthy honest fighting men be given just as much consideration in their old age as they were given in their youth? Do they not deserve credit, goodness and physical perfection in the youth of any nation? We must have great physical men as well as mental men in every progressive country. One is just as vital to a nation as the other. However, this is another subject which I may advocate with more detail later on.

Many of the old pugilists reached high positions in life after they retired from the ring. John Gully became a member of the English parliament, won the great Derby, and was a worthy champion of Great Britain after he retired as champion of the English ring. Our own John Morrissey, once the greatest bare-knuckle champion America has ever known, became a member of Congress and a leader in the affairs of New York state.

The famous boxer, Peter Maher, who fought Jim Davis and Jimmy Elliott for the championship of America, is a wealthy political leader in Brooklyn. He has educated his children and has done much good work in the City of Churches, where he is eminently respected.

Duncan McDonald, who was defeated by Pete McCoy in 1882, is a millionaire mine contractor and hotel keeper at Seattle, Wash., and probably is the richest ex-fighter in the world. He is a great business man, and has fought a good many a poor fellow on the football field.

My old friend, John L. Sullivan, is living comfortably and contentedly on his 70-acre farm at North Abington, Mass. He attends his church regularly, and hasn't touched liquor of any kind for the past eight years. The old war horse has a big bank account, and will not be seen again very far from home, before the footlights, where he made a fortune during the past few years.

Another old pal of mine, Jack McAuliffe, the only retired undefeated champion alive, still is showing in his mottled age as the vaudeville theater. Jack has made many a big bank and spent them like a lord among his boys of friends.

Patsy Caraffo, who fought Sullivan years ago, is a successful contractor on Portland, Ore. In the same city Tom Tracy, the Australian, runs a cigar store. Martin Denny, another Australian, keeps a paying cafe, and Joe Austin, one of the greatest wrestlers ever born, earns a living as a bridge tender.

David Campbell, who was a clever heavy-weight in his day, is chief of the fire department at Portland, Ore., where he has the respect and well wishes of all good citizens.

Tommy Ryan has gone back to his old home in Syracuse, where he is teaching the young boxers the fundamentals in the many arts of wrestling. He is a man and a very careful flyer.

Kid Livings is conducting a prize-fighting "rate" in Detroit. Mike "Dick" Moore is special policeman at a Yonkers theater. Tom Broderick is working as a horse trader in the many art of a large class of wealthy pupils at Brooklyn. Tommy Kelly, the Harlem fighter, from whom Billy Plummer won the championship, holds a good position with the street department in New York city.

This is all I can recall at present, except that the great globe trotter, Jack Grace, is on another tour around the world, calling on all the former stars of the prize ring to let them know how the others are getting along. It's wonderful how he digs them up.

HOME FOLKS BOOST FOR 'HOPE' PALZER

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RACE RESULTS

JUAREZ, Jan. 11.—Only two favorites won at Juarez today. The finishes were close and exciting. J. M. Robbins claimed Upright for G. M. Odum for \$25. Results:

First race, five furlongs—Ocelot, 6 to 1, won; King Elk, 5 to 2, second; Big Claim, 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:14.5.

Second race, five furlongs—Sage, 8 to 1, won; Sam, 4 to 1, second; Florence, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:15.5.

Third race, three furlongs—Sage, 2 to 1, won; Graxton, 4 to 1, second; Tallow Dip, 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:14.5.

Fourth race, five furlongs—Frog, 1 to 1, won; Upright, 2 to 1, second; Sore, 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:15.

Fifth race, one mile—Miss Korn, even, won; Fern L., 7 to 2, second; Osage, 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:42.5.

Sixth race, five furlongs—Fred Mulholland, 2 to 1, won; Flying Feet, 3 to 1, second; Champion, 22 to 1, third. Time, 1:17.

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THE POLICE REPORT

S. D. BURNO, appointed Chief of Police a few weeks ago, has made a report to the Council of the police administration of Colorado Springs for the twelve months ended December 31. Mr. Burno frankly admits that he can claim little credit for whatever creditable things may have occurred in the Police Department in the last year, for he has been chief only since October 23 last. But with extreme particularity he details the triumphs of the department, announcing, among other notable achievements, that it has traded two horses for two others of greater value. With a remarkable facility in the use of precise but unimportant statistics, he tells just how often the patrol wagon has been called out and just how many miles, and tenths of a mile, it has traveled in the last year. Similarly, we learn to the infinitesimal fraction of a mile just how far the ambulance traveled and how many calls it made, and how this record compared with that of the year 1910. Mr. Burno also tells how many arrests he and his predecessors made, mostly the latter made in 1911. In short, whoever compiled the two columns of statistical matter to which his name is appended has succeeded in making the usual uninteresting story of nothing at all.

What Mr. Burno has failed to tell in his annual report is why he has not made good as Chief of Police of Colorado Springs. He says nothing at all as to his failure to apprehend a single one of the criminals who are responsible for the long succession of serious burglaries and holdups committed in the city throughout his term of office, and before the latest of which was a holdup only last Wednesday night. Residences are regularly invaded and plundered of valuables, and citizens are as regularly held up at night at the point of a gun and robbed. And invariably the case ends with the robbery. There is neither an arrest nor the slightest evidence of police activity of any sort.

Burno, the pseudo sleuth, slumbers peacefully in his easy chair while the holdups and second-story men take possession of the town. In only two instances has he been aroused from his lethargy: once when Assistant District Attorney Purcell, at the suggestion of The Gazette, instructed him to enforce the law against turkey raffish, candy, cards and other petty gambling schemes; and again when he issued an order that sidewalks must be cleaned, but his attention of his own had fallen on an icy walk and broken three ribs. If there are any other evidences of competency in the Police Department since Burno got his job we have not learned of them.

A CASE OF ORDINARY INCOMPETENCY.

A man who, like Burno, lacks the plain, everyday intelligence to read the ordinances of the city of Colorado Springs and attend to their enforcement, is not fit to be Chief of Police. In less than three months of incumbency he has succeeded only in demonstrating his incapacity. He has shown that he has little or no concern in the things that make for real police efficiency, such as the rigid enforcement of the various local ordinances. Instead, his eyes are fixed on the grandstand. He is so busy posing in print as a sort of up to date revision and combination of Sherlock Holmes and William J. Burns, that he has no time to attend to such petty details as seeing that the sidewalks are kept free of snow.

It was bad enough last fall when the Colorado Springs Police Department was entirely without a chief, but it is worse now when the department has a chief with the capacity of an office boy. Three months ago people barred their doors and windows every night to keep out burglars because they knew that the Police Department was without a head, and consequently in a state of demoralization. But now the department has a head, one kind of a head, but it is still necessary for the citizen to barricade himself in his house at night and to be on the alert for holdup men if his business requires him to be on the streets after dark. All of which justifies the con-

FOREST RANGER COURSE

IN the Ranger course of the School of Forestry, Colorado College has achieved a distinct success. This course has attracted a large body of men from the National forests of Colorado and Wyoming. With six weeks of field work, including studies of the growth and development of forest trees and mapping and estimating timber, the course has been of the greatest practical value. Forest service experts on problems of forestation, grazing, the management of Rocky Mountain forests and forest fire protection, have given liberal assistance.

The aim has been to give the rangers training to enable them to cooperate more fully in the technical problem of forestry that appear constantly in connection with the administration of the National forests. The success of the course this year means that it will be a permanent feature of the School of Forestry.

"Even Homer sometimes nods," is the highly original observation of The Telegraph in extenuation of its derelictions. Perhaps Homer would have been more careful to avoid nodding if he had realized that for 3,000 years after his death all of the mere dubs who get into print would try to justify themselves by citing his bad example.

OPEN PARLIAMENT

MR. LENNOX REPLIES.

To the Editor of The Gazette:
In case the statements of the Federated Trades Council committee appearing in The Gazette of January 1 touching the printing of the Dry Farming year book should be seriously taken as true by some one not familiar with the facts, I wish as chairman of the local board of control to say that practically every material statement made by said Trades Council committee was and is either misleading or absolutely false.

For illustration, the high bids of four leading firms are compared throughout with a low bid of a firm whose work the Dry Farming congress had declined to accept and the gentlemen of the committee, or at least the chairman, Mr. Brown, knew this perfectly well at the time the statements were published. Bearing in mind the fact that the local board of control was under contract to do this printing for the general congress, a distinct bias with the right to reject the work, the entire unfairness of such a comparison becomes apparent.

Furthermore, three of the four Denver bids were never heard of by our committee. It made at all they were made to Secretary John T. Burns and Editor C. O. Williams and presumably eliminated because too high to be considered under a \$1,500 appropriation. The only bid of the type referred to coming into the hands of our committee was that of Williamson-Haffner company, and was for \$1,455 instead of \$1,705, as falsely stated by the Trades Council committee and in place of showing \$21,642 in favor of a rejected local bid shows \$260 against same.

The Federated Trades Council committee seems to have in mind that the reason for calling for competitive bids was to find the highest bidder and hand the contract with him. Our board of control and committee, however, had an impression that the object in calling for competitive bids was primarily to find the lowest responsible bidder satisfactory to the general congress for whom the work was being done and give him the contract with a \$100 preferential for the local firms.

On this basis we had three bids from Denver and only three, aggregating \$4,271 or an average of \$1,423.66. We had three from local firms and only three, which we could consider, aggregating \$5,669.90 or an average of \$1,889.97. This tied the hands of the committee with an average differential of \$445.47 with a limit of not to exceed \$100 and handling trust funds. Under these conditions the bid of the Great Western Publishing company of Denver of \$1,365 for 12,000 copies of 320 pages each of 8 point type was decided upon.

That the specifications were afterward changed to 272 pages of 8 point type, thereby gaining 25 to 30 per cent in the amount of matter with little or no increase in price does not disturb the relationship of the various bids, as made upon the former basis.

With the foregoing statement of facts I wish to close this controversy which has been fought upon our board of control and committee, leaving fair-minded, unbiased citizens to render the verdict.

As to the personal attacks made by the committee upon the writer I take it they express only the opinion of the committee and may or may not be endorsed by those whom the committee is supposed to represent and while intended to stir up craft and class prejudice may fall when all the facts are known.

JOHN LENNOX.
Chairman of Local Board of Control,
Colorado Springs, January 11.

FROM OTHER PENS

From the Providence Journal.
A prominent textile manufacturer says the report of the tariff board shows that the cloth manufacturers' profit on a twenty-dollar suit is only thirty cents. That is the way some twenty-dollar suits look nowadays.

From the Cleveland Leader.
Even though an expert on taxes, he declared that the capital in Washington will last only a few hundred years more, some other place undoubtedly can provide for the Lorimer investigating committee.

From the Philadelphia Inquirer.
Absinthe is in bad odor with the pure food board of the department of agriculture. Its importation has been prohibited by Dr. Wiley and his experts, and the order will become effective after the first of January if Secretary Wilson signs it. In the meantime, suggestions will be asked from importers and others interested regarding the prohibition.

There appear to be very excellent reasons why this drug should be prohibited. It was at one time regarded by an ex-client of mine, but of late even the medical profession has come to be viewed with great suspicion. There are any number of causes to take its place less harmful and better in its physiological action than this, so that its value therapeutically is of doubtful character.

As a beverage, and this is the new trend generally made of it, it is most harmful. The have

It has raised in France has made its name one to be dreaded. Even the French authorities were forced to take measures to restrict its use, and for some time past its use by French soldiers has been prohibited. Strict regulations regarding its manufacture and sale have been made in the country where it is most popular, Belgium and Switzerland have prohibited the manufacture of it absolutely.

Excessive use of this drug produces conditions for worse than alcoholism, leading, as it does, to vertigo and epileptiform convulsions. Dr. Wiley and his board evidently think there are enough ways at present by which people of this country can go to the dogs, and they seem to be right in prohibiting the further importation of this particular agent.

PRUNES.

From the Kansas City Star.
The announcement that the price of prunes has been lifted from its old-time position on the price list of the necessities of life and placed in the company of luxuries, such as butter, eggs and other things the people used to think were necessities, will cause loss of respect than of apprehension. It is believed. The fact that prunes have advanced from their old position of "three for a quarter" to 15 cents a pound might be hailed, even with evidences of joy in certain quarters, even if the price advanced to four higher yet, but for one harboring, disturbing thought. If it is possible to send the price of prunes out of reach of the average citizen, what will happen to the things that are worth while and good to eat when the trusts conclude to turn their attention in that direction?

THEATER PRICES.

From the New York Sun.

It is said to be a principle of the theater business that the manager had the right to charge whatever he could get so long as he controlled a commodity that the public wanted, whatever it cost him. Analogy was found in the case of patented articles that sell for a price far out of proportion to their actual value because they are indispensable and a monopoly. By such a comparison the theater manager who controlled a successful farce justified himself for asking the same price to see it that the producer of a costly spectacle demanded.

This was the theory even 10 years ago, but there has been a decided change in theatrical conditions since then. With nearly an exception, managers admit that overproduction is the characteristic of their business in this country. In spite of the large amount and the varied quality of what is put before the public nowadays, there is practically a uniform scale of prices.

Professional opinion agrees in the impossibility of material success for any play today that is not provided with some strikingly sensational quality. The merely good dramas that might some years ago have enjoyed long and prosperous terms of production are now dismissed with scant attention. Yet when the interest of the public is so difficult to get and to maintain in the theater, managers continue their uniform rates of admission. When there existed less competition, however, and the supply of entertainment was notably smaller than it is today, it was not necessary to pay always the same price whatever the quality of the drama might be. The so-called "popular price" theaters were more numerous than they are and were not, like the so-called "combination" playhouses of the present day, devoted altogether to the presentation of already familiar dramas. Formerly some of the dramatic novelties considered somewhat beneath the quality of the most expensive Broadway theaters were to be had at these "combination" theaters more cheaply.

Sunflower Philosophy

I know a man who always seeks for work, some wealth to earn, and bitter tears roll down his cheeks, since he has no other spurs. He simply cannot understand the sunflower. The sunflower is a simple creature in the land, he says, for working men. When blazing summer days are gone, and howling blizzards blow, he comes around to mow the lawn, which is knee-deep in snow. "I want to shovel snow," he cries, when August days are hot; in winter he would sweep the flies, when there is none to sweep. On a wet day he will look at the sun, but when the Sabbath comes he will sit down and his knees and his hair will bump. The shingles will let in the wet, but still he stands aloof until there's a rain, and then, you bet, he wants to fix the roof. This man, who represents a class, is always way of doubt, and his declining days he'll pass out where the farmers go. If you would gather in the seeds in comforting amounts, quit traifing with the trilling lads, and do the work that counts.

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THE DAILY CHAT

BY RUTH CAMERON

The author was reading aloud to us the other night.
"There's an awfully clever parody on the twenty-third Psalm somewhere in this magazine that I want you people to hear," he said, as he consulted the table of contents.

"Excuse me," said the man-who-thinks, with a vigorous accent on the second word. "Anything but a parody for me, please. But don't let me keep the rest of the family from hearing it if they like. I'll take a stroll out in the kitchen for a glass of water."

"Now what is the matter with you," queried the author-man, "Isn't this a new wrinkle?"
"No, it is not," said the man-who-thinks, "I've had too many beautiful things spoiled by parodies already, and I made up my mind some time ago that I'd never listen to another if I could help it."

"Can you ditto the author-man's excuses?"
I certainly could, and I should think most people could.
A clever parody is a mighty clever piece of work. Unfortunately, its very cleverness is apt to make it unforgettable. If we could read, laugh, and forget, that would be all right, but how often can we do that?

We hear the parody done or twice, and from then on we can never hear the real thing without having its beauty or its subtlety stained or entirely obliterated by the quick flashing recollection of the clever but silly imitation.

Several beautiful hymns have been spoiled for me in this way. To my dying day, I don't believe I shall be able to hear the splendid strains of the Bohemian wedding march without singing over in my mind, "Here comes the bride, etc." For the sake of those fortunate enough to have missed that example of literary vandalism, I forbear to go on with the quotation.

Perhaps you are saying that I lack a sense of humor to take the matter so seriously. I wonder if I do. Really I don't think so. I can see the fun in a parody as well as anyone, and laugh at it as heartily, but it seems to me the price is too high. There are so many things just as funny that don't have any sting tied to them. Why not laugh at those and not take away the beauty and solemnity of something worth while, for the sake of a little momentary amusement?

Who will tell the man-who-thinks and me in our resolution not to read or listen to any more parodies on beautiful or sacred things?

The Great Conflict
A Half Century Ago Today

JANUARY 12, 1862

A party of Confederates belonging to the command of Colonel Hiram, devastated the country near Munfordville, Ky. In the probable line of the Federal advance. They burned the depot and blacksmith shop at Horse Cave, the depot, stables and hotel at Cave City, destroyed all the hay, oats and fodder along the road, and drove off or killed all cattle, horses and mules. They stated their intention to burn all the houses along the road that might be of use to the Federal army in their march. They met with no opposition, the inhabitants of the country having taken refuge in Munfordville.

A nephew of General Polk of the Confederate army was arrested near Blandville by a national reconnoitering party. Dispatches that were believed to be intended for Confederate spies in Columbus, Ky., were found on him.

The United States sloop of war Pensacola ran the Confederate batteries at Shipping and Cockpit points, on the Potomac, and got to sea without receiving a single shot.

A reconnoitering party under command of Lieut. W. T. Truxton, U. S. A., returned to St. Helena, sound, S. C., from an expedition to Ball's Island, which they found deserted, although stocked with sheep and cattle. They crossed the island to Hatteras landing, on the North Edisto river, but found no one about the plantations.

The advance of General Burnside's Union expedition to the coast of North Carolina sailed from Fortress Monroe, Va.

Brigadier General Sigel of the Union army issued an address to the officers of his command at Bull's Gap, instructing them to give strict attention to the health of their commands, and to occupy their companies with regular drill and instruction in military affairs, practical and theoretical. (Copyright, 1912, by W. G. Chapman.)

Disease and Its Cure

By EDDY WOLFF.

FRESH AIR

In the January issue of Pearson's Magazine is an article on "Air" that should be read by every parent. In this article are stated at length the efforts of bad air on the human body. The number of ill that spring from improper ventilation are given in detail. The advantages that arise from the careful ventilation of all living and sleeping apartments are told in very plain language. The article is easy to understand, and means much to every mother.

Generally speaking, all of us receive too little fresh air during the winter season.

The body breathes air for a definite reason. Part of all pure air, and constituting about one-fifth of its volume, is a gas called oxygen. It is oxygen that permits flame to burn. Without oxygen fire would go out, and human lives could not continue to exist.

Lack of ventilation soon results in a shortage of life-giving oxygen. Thus weakness must follow, with symptoms of headache and restlessness.

Other ill effects are the consequence of poor ventilation. Our subscribers are advised to read carefully the January Pearson's on this important subject.

MAY COME HERE FROM RUSSIA

A Colony of Mennonites Has a Committee Investigating in This Country.

From the New York World.
Two sturdy men, with heavy red-tinted faces, arrived here on the steamship George Washington, to study farming conditions, preparatory to bringing a group of 150 persons to settle in this country. At the end of their first day in New York they were very much impressed. They probably will start on their tour through the southwest.

The men are Pastor Klaus K. Egan and Peter J. Siemens of the Mennonite church at Omsk, in Siberia, and the colonists are members of that flock.

"We want to come to America," the pastor said through an interpreter, "because Siberia is too cold for us. We moved to Omsk from southern Russia 12 years ago. That was a great change of climate, and our attention being directed to the United States, we decided to investigate the conditions here. We go first to Fairview, Okla., then to Texas, and afterward to New Mexico. If we decide to come, it will be as soon as possible, for we are a farming colony, and would want to be in time to put in the spring crops."

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IN THE FAR PAST

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY

JANUARY 12, 1882.

The ruins of an old building at the corner of Tejon and Huerfano streets were set fire about 11 o'clock in the evening. The fire department turned out but decided that the building was no good anyway and confined their efforts to preventing the spread of the flames to other buildings.

The Lingard company gave a performance of Gilbert's comedy, "Engaged," at the Opera house.

The county commissioners of Chaffee county advertised for bids for a new court house. They expected to spend \$25,000 on it.

The drug store on the corner of Te-

jon and Huerfano streets was sold for \$5,800. The real estate market was said to be quite active.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

JANUARY 12, 1892.

The members of the El Paso club held their first meeting in the new club house and elected 19 new members.

Monument creek was frozen solid and it was said to be possible to skate nearly to the top of the Divide.

The new county officers were sworn in. At the time of giving up office Sheriff Jackson was presented with an elegant gold-headed cane and Assessor Perkins with a gold watch chain with a locket charm and also a complete tea service.



FIRST AID TO INJURED HEARTS

By Laura Jean Libbey

Change of Mind Over Night

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Let no young man feel that he is re-buffed entirely out of love's race if the father of his sweetheart gives him a curt "No" when he asks him for his daughter. The canny old fellow may be of the class who believes that a lover does not prize the peach which drops too easily into his hand. That to gather it—the more difficult he encounters the more he prizes the fruit.

A score of things may happen to cause father to change his mind over night. If the darling of the household refuses to be comforted, declaring that her heart is broken, he puts pride in his pocket and sends for him forthwith. Or, if father gets to thinking the matter over, concluding that he has been hasty, there is an equal chance of his being recalled.

A young man is a dolt who infers that he will commit suicide if there is no hope of winning the girl of his heart. The father would set him down at once as a maudlin sentimentalist. The young fellow who would win his daughter must have plenty of stamina and know how to battle against defeat.

A father has respect for a manly man; a man who will not give up. If the paternal affection rises on account of little wealth he will plunge in with the resolution to do or die. He will know that he is able to support the family. If he has the girl's mother upon his side she may be an important factor in causing the husband to change his mind over night.

The father knows that it is bad enough to have the daughter against him, but when mother joins forces with her, well, a man will do most anything to keep peace in the family. Father changes his mind over night.

ANSWERS

SHED' LIKE TO MEET BOYS.

"Dear Miss Libbey: I am 17 and have never even been in the company of young men, as I have been away at a boarding school. Their presence causes me great embarrassment, as I am naturally bashful. I never know what to talk about, and when I speak I stutter. Just now I feel as though I should like to meet boys, in fact, I long to, but bashfulness overcomes me at all times."
BARBARA.

There is just one thing wrong with you, little Barbara: that is self-consciousness and a lack of confidence in self. Make up your mind to be genuinely interested in what is going on about you, and in what people are saying to you. Once you accomplish this, your social success is secured, for to be interested is to be interesting every time.

SHE FLATLY REFUSED.

"Dear Miss Libbey: I am 20 and am considered handsome and dashing. I am madly in love with a young woman three years my senior. I proposed to her about three months ago, and she flatly refused my hand. Since then I have seen her but twice. Once was last week. I went to see her and when I left she threw her arms about my neck in a loving embrace, then ran into the house without saying another word. I think she loves me, but I think there must be some family interference. Will you please advise me what to do?"
R. C. DE V.

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THE WEATHER

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Colorado.—Generally fair Friday and Saturday, except snow in the mountains Saturday; warmer Saturday, east portion.

The following meteorological record is furnished by the Colorado college weather bureau for the 24 hours ending at 6 p. m.:

Temperature at 6 a. m. 47
Temperature at 12 m. 51
Temperature at 6 p. m. 56
Maximum temperature 56
Minimum temperature 45
Mean temperature 51
Max. wind force 12
Min. bar. pressure 30.05
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Dew point at noon 48
Precipitation in inches Trace

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RUBE BALL, Majestic hall, Monday night, Pink's orchestra. Four prizes.

DANCING school, tonight, Majestic hall. Private lessons by appointment.

CHANGE IN COMPANY NAME.—The Brown Lumber company of Colorado Springs has changed the firm name to The Pennington Lumber & Manufacturing company and will continue the lumber business under the new name from January 1, 1912. There is no change in the stockholders and the present officers are George W. Pennington, president, James W. Pennington, vice president, and R. M. Carlisle, secretary-treasurer.

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Societies and Clubs

The Ladies Aid society of the Second Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Nolan Bishop, 124 East 1st Avenue, street, this afternoon at 2:30 p. m.

The Woman's Missionary society of the First United Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Bartlett, 309 East 1st Avenue, street, today at 2:30 p. m.

Women of Woodmen, No. 602, will give a card party in Majestic hall tonight. The public is invited.

This A. T. S. W. V. will meet at the home of Mrs. Gowdy, 115 South Washington avenue, today at 2:30 p. m. A full attendance is desired, as installation of officers will be held.

The Woman's auxiliary of the First Baptist church will hold an all-day meeting at the church today. The members are requested to come prepared to sew, and to bring lunch. At 2 o'clock the monthly missionary meeting will be held.

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meeting will be held by Mrs. S. M. Kindig, subject, "What to Do With the Immigrant." The missionary meeting will be followed by a business session.

The Women will hold an installation of officers tonight, and all members are requested to attend.

The young workers of the Swedish Lutheran church will meet at the parsonage, 111 North Spitzer street, this evening at 8 o'clock. All members invited.

The Daughters of America will meet in G. A. R. hall, this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Installation of officers and other business of importance.

The Christian Union of the Second Presbyterian church will hold its regular meeting in the church, corner of Fifteenth street and Washington avenue, today at 2:30 p. m.

The Ladies of Marchbanks of the World will meet at the home of Mrs. Ramsay at 7:30 o'clock. All members of the order in the Pike's Peak region are invited.

Mrs. Atkin's district of the First Presbyterian church will meet today at 2 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Lucas, 1808 North Nevada avenue.

The City League will hold a meeting at the San Luis school this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Installation of officers will be held at the regular meeting of El Dorado council, No. 1114, Royal Arcanum, this evening.

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Punch embroidery lessons—art dept.

Friday and Saturday, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m., at art department, free instruction in the popular new punch embroidery work will be given. You are invited to come in and see the finished pieces and designs in waists, kimonos, aprons, caps, bibs, underwear, pillows, dresses, pin cushions, bags, etc., and learn how they are embroidered.

20 lbs. Granulated Sugar \$1.00

With a \$5.00 Retail Grocery Order, 3 tall cans Van Camp's or Borden's Milk, 12 tall cans Van Camp's or Borden's Milk, Quart jars Manzaniella Olives, Quart jars Bismarck Queen Olives, Quart jars Pure Fruit Preserves, Stone jars Pure Apple Butter, Fresh Oysters, qt., Cottontail and Jackrabbits, each, Holland Herring, Fancy Milchners, keg, Fresh Halibut and Salmon, \$1.15

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